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He is better known as a political tramp.

Champ Clark gave him a trashing but accepted a bribe not to prosecute him.

He has been without visible means of support for 20 years.

He carries a cane and holds up everybody he meets.

The republicans will make a strong fight for the next house.

Be truthful and tell only what you know.

Be what you seem to be and nothing more.

It is best not to go to places where you are not wanted.

The white trustees ought to take hold of the colored schools.

The colored trusteess haven't got the temerity to make the necessary changes.

It is the great man who does great deeds.

Speak boldly of what you think.

The negro can expect but little from a white Maryland republican.

You should speak the truth always.

Editor Fortune of the *New York Age* means well, but he lacks the element of leadership.

Right is bound to prevail.

Look out for it! It wears a cane.

It has no name, and a very little shape.

The greatest man in town is the one who has a silent tongue.

Judge Kimball's law applies to political tramps.

Common people will endeavor to place their superiors on equality with them.

A person who is pure will not suspect other people of evil doing.

It is the treacherous man you must watch.

The republican party will do its duty some day.

The colored man must be independent in politics.

Why should a man be threatened with decapitation for exerecising his opinion?

We dislike people because others do.

Our trustees lack nerve.

The white trustees will be compelled to take hold of the colored schools.

The people are becoming disgusted.

There should be no politics in our schools.

Politics in 1900 will tell a sweet story.

The police Court is still at the same old stand.

Some people will tell what they know and what they don't know.

A coward will not sign his name to charges.

He will talk behind your back.

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Some preachers carry two faces.

It is about time that this city is rid of a few of them.

Tramps go West some times.

Street corner loafers should be arrested.

Let the people in this city ask for suffrage.

Let us have a representative republican to represent the District republicans in the National Republican Convention.

A political tramp whose association is with the *demi monds*, is advocating school reforms.

What do you think of it?

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In the honest desire to promote the best interests of the race, it frequently occurs that the inducement to ignore principle becomes very strong. Particularly is this true when we attempt to account for or adjust our civil, social or political relations in this country. On every hand we meet opposition to what under any code of ethics we are justly entitled. We are set off from the masses of the people because it is claimed that we are inferior. Railroad companies, hotel proprietors, theatrical managers and what not discriminate against us on the ground. The constitution and laws which declare our political rights are made inoperative by the persistency of race prejudice.

Separate institutions of charity, separate partitions of jails, separate parts of churches, emphasize the force of color prejudice. Every where the trail of the serpent of race hate is found. It is therefore not strange that under such conditions many of us in our desire for race elevation, lose sight of principle and seek to alleviate or soften our lot though the medium of flattery, adulation and policy. We are disopsed to call indifference conservatism and to refer civil, political and social ostracism to defective education on the part of the whites. We speak of expediency when we wish to remove pejudice and beat back the rising tide of opposition. It is expediency which has guided the average selfish leader and it is expediency which will ever keep us in the rear of civilization. Expediency is the parent of slavery, of despotism, of wrong. It has kept the race down and is calculated ever to do so. Unless we worship less at the shine of expediency and more at that of principle we can hope for but litile race elevation. The guiding star which has directed wise governments, elevated races and dignified the individual, is principle. It inspired Luther, Toussaint, Lincoln.

It is the shibboleth of the just, of the brave and the hope of the race. In taking sides upon any question involving the rights of man, let our leaders stand on principle. If social and politican conditions confront us which do not favor the fullest mental, moral and material advancement, let us not attempt to justify their existence by claiming that they are the expression of expediency. If we can not change conditions, we can at least bear them in silence. It is worse than folly to strive to make it appear that color prejudice and hate or any institution base upon or growing out of them are justifiable upon any principle of right. That we may be obligated to live in a locality where prejudice and proscription exist may be true. And we may not be able to successfully combat such opposition. But in the name of decency and common sense, let us not attemp to capitulate by falling back upon expediency. Let us stand on principle and bide the time referred to by President McKinley in his speech made in Omaha a few days since:

"Right action follows right purpose. We may not at all times be able to divine the future; the way may not always seem clear; but if our aims are high and unselfish, somehow and in some way the right end will be reached. The genius of the nation, its freedom, its wisdom, its humanity, its courage, its justice, favored by divine Providence, will make it equal to every task and the master of every emergency."

CROWDED SCHOOLS.

Now that we have that harmony among the colored members of the school board, which has never before existed since the adoption of the present school system, it is highly essential that something be done, and that at the earliest practicable moment, to relieve the congestion in the schools from the first to the eighth grades and also to lop off some of the superfluous studies now being caused by the students in the eighth grade and in the High School. We believe that, with the combined effort of Supt. Cook and the trustees such representation could be made to the Commissioners as would speedily bring about this much desired end. The public school system was not designed to furnish a collegiate education, but merely that practical knowledge of reading, writing and arithmetic necessary to the conduct of business and to enable the student to become a self-reliant man or woman and hence a good citizen.

Our schools are so shamefully crowded that the system of half-day schools has been adopted in most of the buildings. A great deal of this congestion could be avoided and more attention given to each scholar were there a less number of studies to be gone through each day.

We had the privilege of visiting an eight grade school this week. In the room were over forty pupils. After a sitting of two and half hours we wondered how it were possible that the children got any thing like a correct knowledge of the subjects the teacher railroaded through at lightning express speed. This teacher has a system which she evidently believes to be the "real thing." If the class in grammar is reciting and a pupil is analysing a difficult sentence, during which the time arrives for hearing the class in algebra, she cuts off the recitation in grammar with the suddenness of a clap of thunder. The same thing happened to the class in algebra when the time came for geology. We witnessed this exhibition of her punctuality until we got sick at heart. Of all the classes she heard in our presence not one recitation was completed, not a pupil received that instruction to which he or she was entitled, all owing to the fact that on account of the multiplicity of studies and the predisposition of the teacher to regard the going through of the day's program, at a pace-making gait as paramount to a thorough drill in any one study.

OUR WOMEN.

There is one proposition that we are compelled to agree with the daily *Post*, and that is, our colored men have but little if any respect for their women. As a rule the reputation of some of our women is blasted or an attempt is made to blast it by men of disreputable characters. It is always the common libertine and black-leg whose association is with the *demi mondes* who will at all times attempt to cast suspicion on the good name and reputation of our women. The reason of that is, readily understood. Men who are common and low themselves will make every effort to bring good women down to their level. Our esteemed contemporary is right in this particular. In this the average negro has no race pride. Some of them have more respect for prostitutes than they have for the honor and integrity of women who endeavor to live above suspicion. If you want to find out the reputation and character of a man who assaults the good name of a woman follow him among his associates and the dives he frequents. Men who have not the time to investigate these assassins are often led to believe what they say to be true. These moral assassins, murderers and libertines can be found among the lower animals in the negro race.

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THE COLORED MAN'S FRIEND.

Dr. Edward B. Pollard, professor of English, in Columbian University, of this city, in an article contributed to the *Richmond Herald*, a Baptist organ, takes the southern people to task for ostracising the negro in their religious organizations. The article has caused a great deal of attention at the South on account of its directness and integrity of statement. It gives a black eye to some of our local journals which are constantly trying to make sensible people believe that the southern white man is the colored man's best friend. The article intimates, with no doubtful ring, that only from a purely industrial standpoint are the whites truly not our enemies, while from a social, religious and purely educational point of view, they are against us. The following is an extract bearing on the point:

"In the South, industrially, the negro is shown greater consideration than in any other part of the land, and while religiously he is here accorded as much kindness as he is willing to take at the hands of his white brethren the fact remains that some of our prejudices are not altogether consistent with our own thoughts and dealings. An example may illustrate: Negro leaders are often called upon to address the conventions of their southern white brethren. Why should any fancy himself offended if, in general gathering of Baptists, a negro should have his name on the programme as a speaker? Is it the negro, or his printed name, to which objection is raised, or is it the honor of his having been asked beforehand to speak?

"Let us be consistent even in our prejudices. We make great financial sacrifices and call upon our missionaries to make greater social sacrifices to take the gospel to far-off Africans; we need not be quite so alarmed if sometimes we are called upon to make sacrifices of our social feeling for the religious good of the Africans near our doors. For our part, we should always feel glad to welcome to our gatherings earnest, devout colored people, who may sometimes seek among their white brethren a better religious outlook or additional spiritual instruction, which may not be available in similar colored meetings. I cannot see that "social equality" has anything to do with this. That matter is found to regulate itself.

Here is a clean-cut manly statement, in which conditions unfavorable to the colored people as well as antagonistic to christian principles, are admitted to exist at the South and an appeal is made for fair play. There is no show of sophistry, none of that *finesse* so often displayed by the southern cavalier in order to convince decent people that only themselves are the true friends and only benefactors of the colored race. It argues against proscription and insists upon allowing the colored people only the privilege of becoming farmers, but also of inspiring them to move upon all of those lines which are calculated to strengthen and beautify the negro's character. It regards the expenditure of money to civilize the African to be merely sentimental, so long as the principles of christianity are not made appreciable to the negro at home. In fact it admits that the devilish propensity, which is universally exhibited by the average southern editors in desire and attempt to misrepresent actual, moral and material conditions at the South, is unchristian and unmanly and ought to be rebuked and corrected. Dr. Pollard has talked like a christain gentleman, as well as a patriotic citizen and it is hoped that southern editors will cease protesting their friendship for the negro until they can prove it by something more than mere editorial blarney and self-magnification. Everybody knows that the colored people are not being treated fairly at the South and there is no use trying to whitewash the fact.

HANDS OFF.

We are of the opinion that Senator Prichard of North Carolina migh allow the school officials to attend to their own business without his interference. The attempt of Mr. Prichard to increase the pay of Mr. Love in the High school over deserving teachers who are more competent than Mr. Love is a piece of presumption and the trustee who attempts should receive the condemnation of the taxpayers of this city. Who is Mr. Love anyway that he should be promoted? If reports are true he is not competent to fill the position he now holds in our High school. When our public schools are made to be the political dumping grounds for North Carolina politicians and senators to pay off political debts, it is about time to abolish the school system in this city. Some of our trustees are in need of sand and hard sand at that



CARSON AND HIS TIMES.
An autobiography by the "Black Oak" of Ivy City.—Particulars next week.

THE DEPUTY TO WRIGHT.

TOO MUCH AMBITION IN THE WASHTON DELEGATION.

(Special to the BEE.)

St. Louis, MO., Oct 20, 1898—When the Washington delegathion left the city for St. Louis, Mo., to attend the B. M. C. Convention of Odd Fellows, it was supposed that it was a unit for Mr. Thomas H. Wright for grand master. The opposition to him didn't develop itself until the arrival of the delegation at St. Louis, at which the ambition of Mr. David Clark begun to show itself. He wanted to be deputy grand master, in deed, the Washington delegarion wanted everything in sight. No sense could be put into the heads of the delegates. They were never together in St. Louis; they had separate lodging houses and in fact they were scattered all over the city.

Mr. J. Frank Boston, was the most level-headed man in the entire delegation. His nominating speech was good, but a little too long. Notwithstanding the treachery of the Washington delegation toward their man an attempt was made to elect, it was thought had Mr. Wright remained in the field and the Washington delegation had shown good sense, Mr. Wright would have been elected. They all lost their heads and senses. The welcome addresss of Mr. George W. Vashon put the delegates to sleep. It was out of point, entirely too long Mr. Wright defeat is due to the stupidity of his delegation and the ambition of Clark.

THE BEE WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

Floaters muggled.

Political vagrant sent to the workhouse.

Prosecuting Attorney Pugh elevated.

George H. White elected to Congress.

Col. W. A. Pledger appointed.

Col. M. M. Parker consulted on District appointment.

THE BEE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.

What the complexion of the House will be.

Why moneyed colored men don't support the Capital Saving Bank.

Why some colored men don't support their own enterprises.

Why C. Maurice Smith is not recognized by the Administration.

Why local politicial dead beats are not muggled.

Why Editor Fortune's leadership is a failure.

IT IS RUMORED.

The blanket will be lifted from the civil service soon.

Roosevelt will be elected governor of New York.

That the independent colored ticket in Maryland is a "scare crow"

All of the republican leaders have left Lawyer Jones in the 4th Virginia District.

Judge Scott is sawing wood.

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POLITICAL.

Register J. W. Lyons has returned to the city from the East where he has been making some very telling speeches.

Recorder Cheatham is in North Carolina.

Hon. John P. Green is in Ohio doing good work.

Hon. Sidney E. Mudd is making a hot fight in his district.

A republican will be elected in the 6th Maryland District.

Hon. Harry Cummings is making a record in Maryland. He is the coming man.

Editor Murphy of the *Afro-American* is pushing his independent ticket with vim.

Mr. Ashly M. Gould is canvassing the 6th District for Col. Pearre.

Mr. Thomas Noyes of the *Evening Star* is becoming be a strong factor in Maryland politics.

Ex-Governor P. B. S. Pinchback will make some speeches in New York.

Mr. J. C. Napier of Nashville, Tenn. who was nominated for Congress, is the son-in-law of Prof. John M. Lanston, our late beloved leader and friend. That he may be elected is the hope and payer of every true colored man and woman in the land.

SCHOOL OF PRINTING.

We would respectfullly call our readers' attention to a new field of lador that THE BEE has inaugurated at its office, 1109 I street, N. W.—a School of Printing for colored youths. It is the intention of the management that any who may avail themselves of the advantages of this school, shall receive a complete practical training in the art of printing in all its branches. The instructions will be under the personal supervision of Mr. Chase, member of the Typographical Union of this city, and who is without doubt among the best all-round printers in the country. Our facilities will be augmented by an entire new printing outfit, including all the latest styles of type, job presses and cylinder press, which will give pupils a chance to be up-to-date in the trade. In this connection we would ask our patrons to send in their orders for job work of any kind, as we will now be able to fill all orders from the smallest visiting card to the largest poster, and promise that our prices and work will compare favorably with those of any firm in the city.

Any young man desiring a trade will do well to write us for terms, etc., or call at this office and look over the establishment. The school will open on July 26th, and those desiring tuition will do well to inquire at once, as only a limited number can of necessity be accommodated. For information, terms, etc., Address, W. Calvin Chase, Manager Bee School of Printing.

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Some time in December there will be held in this city, memorial services in honor of the late Blanche K. Bruce, on which occasion arrangements will be made to erect a monument to his memory. Hon. John R. Lynch of Mississippi, a close political friend of Mr. Bruce will deliver the eulogy. Prof. R. H. Terrell will preside. Among the other distinguished citizens who will speak be ex-Governor P. B. S. Pinchback, Col. W. A. Pledger of Georgia, Hon. Henry Demas of Louisiania, Register J. W. Lyons, Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts, Mr. George C. Smith, Rev. S. N. Brown, Col. Cunigan of Mississippi Bishop B. W. Arnett and may more men of prominence. Mr. Bruce was one of the most successful men in this country and one who commanded the respect and admiration of the entire American people. This will be the most representative gathering of representative Americans who have ever assembled.

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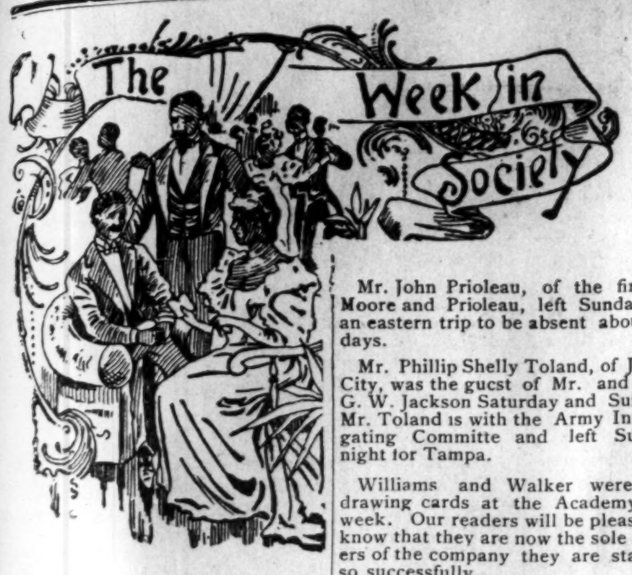
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Mr. John Prioleau, of the firm of Moore and Prioleau, left Sunday for an eastern trip to be absent about ten days.

Mr. Phillip Shelly Toland, of Jersey City, was the gucst of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Toland is with the Army Investigating Committe and left Sunday night for Tampa.

Williams and Walker were the drawing cards at the Academy last week. Our readers will be pleased to know that they are now the sole owners of the company they are starring so successfully.

Hon. J. P. Green who has been in Ohio during the past few weeks making eloquent speeches for the republican ticket, returned to the city and was called away on Friday last to make more speeches in the northern section of the State. His first speech will be at Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bruce, left the city Wednesday for Kansas, Kan., on a visit. This is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce. They will be gone several weeks.

Mrs. Josephine B. Bruce, the widow of the late Blanche K. Bruce will visit Mississippi as soon as possible.

Col. W. A. Pledger of Georgia is in the city on business. The colonel looks well.

The reception given by the Misses Cornish on Friday of last week was a most gay and fashionable affaisr. The guests were numetous and and beautifully attired appointments were up to drte in every particular. Mr. and Mrs. Cornish are royal entertainers.

Miss L. E. Scott of the southwest, has been appointed to a position in the night schools.

The lectures in pedagogy by Prof. Moore at the Normal school on Tuesday afternoons is meeting with success.

Bishop W. Walters was in the city on Monday and called to see the editor. He is here in the interest of the National Afro-American Council.

Dr. William H. Warmsley has been appointed an assistant surgeon in the U. S. Army. He will start for Cuba in a few days. Dr. Warmsley led the medical class of '98, at Howard University and beside strong testimonials from army officers who knew him when he was a member of the 9th cavalry, he was strongly endorsed by the medical faculty of Howard University.

Messrs. Wyatt Archer and George Scott have returned from their European trip.

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From his curley crown to his dancing feet.

A Yankee Afro. so brown and glad,
He never was sorrowful, never was sad,
A singing with tender melodious voice
A heavenly message. Rejoice, rejoice.

We went thro' the war of Freedom's fight,
We went thro' the war of Slavery's night.
We both came out with the Starry Flag,
And walked all over that rebel rag.
My comrade, my comrade is singing now,
Where the roses and lilies unfading grow,
And I Hear, I hear him with seraph voice,
A chatting so sweetly, rejoice, rejoice.

Rejoice for the promised time has come,
Rejoice for the gladness of love's sweet home;
Always singing the self-same song,
And mine eyes are beholding the ransomed throng.

Now his dusky, dusky dark brown face.
Hath a halo of splendid celestial grace
And his shining brow of the dusky brown,
Wears a comrade's glorious patriotic crown.

Now he chanteth to me with his heavenly voice,
Little comrade, dear comrade, rejoice, rejoice,
There's a robe and a palm and a crown for thee,
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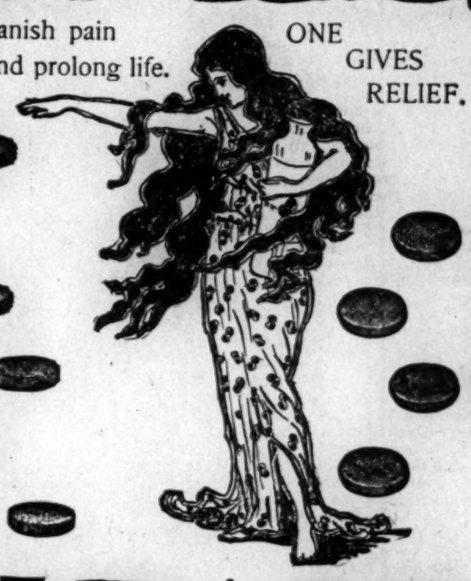


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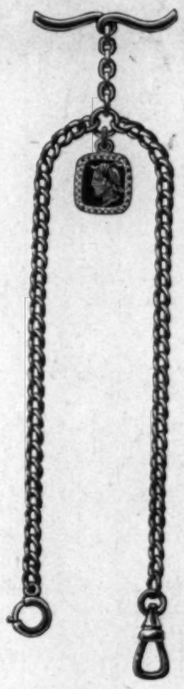
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THE REASON WHY THERE ARE THREE FACTIONS OF COLORED MASONS IN THE D. C.

[By D. F. Seville]

As we all know the first split occurred in 1896. Because the Va. Avenue faction brought 33 degree business in the Blue department for settlement, viz: K. T. Chapter and other bodies, before we split in 1896 and upon the advice and under the direction of the Ill. John G. Jones 33°, of Chicago, Ill., we severed our connections with the Va. Avenue faction. The Ill. G. Jones in a letter dated Feb. 23rd '96, stated that if necessary he would come to Washington, D. C. and institute a lodge under the A. A. S. R, and that it would be legal. In another letter dated May 30, 1896. The Ill. Jones advised to leave and organize a grand lodge, chapter and commandery and that we could do so with a small number of masons. In another letter dated July 11, 1896, the Ill. Jones stated that if we didn't desire to take our charters from the A. A. S. R. Supreme Council, that we could write to Capt. W. D. Matthews at Leavenworth, Kan., who would give us a charter and he says further that I might write to the brother.

In few words, acting by and under the advice of Bro. Jones, we succeeded and in my circular, dated March 17th 1897. It will be seen that we assembled under the auspices of the A. A. S. R. (Jones faction) and proceeded to form a Blue department. In 1898, seeing that a bitter feeling was still in existence between the two factions, and owing to a faction fight, (N. J. Ave., faction,) I wrote to brother Jones and requested him to see brother T. A. Jackson and see if the trouble could be healed in order that we could have peace in the masonic world. In a letter received from brother Jones, dated June 23rd '98. He stated that he was surprised at me making such a suggestion, and that it would never be done and if he had to do it that he would leave the order. Relative to the compact faction that I am identified with, we left because we were tired of faction strife 2nd. The failure of Mr. Johnson's grand lodge to secure recognition from grand lodges, state rites or compact. 3rd. The declarations of prominent state rite masons of the Virginia Avenue faction to the effect that they would never recognize the members of the New Jersey Avenue faction under any consideration. In conclusion relative to the circular issued by Mr. Jones, dated Oct. 6, '98, in which he gives the compact—the old boy—Mr. Jones forgets that the members of St. Augustine Temple Mystic Shrine and St James Consistory 32 degree of Grand Rapids, Michigan, are all members of Harmony Lodge No. 2, compacts, working under the obedience of the Grand Lodge of the State Grand Lodge and that they went under the compacts by his advice. In conclusion I will suggest that we had all better cease fireing. All these kickers forget what they have done to me and furthermore that Seville in all of his moves on the masonic checker board he had company. In conclusion I am on to the diabolical combination that has been effected and my advice is to go slow.

N. B—Uncle John has returned home.

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